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| In re Application of:           | ) |                                  |
| Ernst-Werner Wagner             | ) | Group Art Unit: 3752             |
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| Serial No. 10/584,117           | ) | Examiner: Steven Michael Cernoch |
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| Filed: June 23, 2006            | ) | Attorney Docket: 1-39509         |
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| For: INERTING METHOD AND DEVICE | ) |                                  |
| FOR EXTINGUISHING A FIRE        | ) |                                  |

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Honorable Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated July 14, 2010, please amend and reconsider the application as set forth on the following pages.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.